

Incident Status Summary (ICS-209)

Incident: **SOBERANES**

1. Incident Name: SOBERANES		2. Incident Number: CA-BEU-003422	
3. Report Version (check one box): <input type="checkbox"/> Initial <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Update <input type="checkbox"/> Final	4. Incident Commander(s) & Agency or Organization: Rocky W. Opliger, USFS California Interagency Incident Management Team 4	5. Incident Management Organization: Type 1 Team	6. Incident Start Date/Time: Date: 07/22/2016 Time: 0848 PDT
7. Current Incident Size or Area Involved (use unit label – e.g., "Acres", "Square Miles"): 128380 Acres	8a. Percent (%) Contained or Completed: 81 %	9. Incident Type: Wildfire B. Incident Description: C. Cause: Human D. Fire Suppression Strategy:	
	b. Total Percentage (%) of Perimeter that will be Contained or Completed: 100 %		
		10. Incident Complexity Level: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Single Complex	11. Report Time Period: From Date/Time: 09/26/2016 1800 PDT To Date/Time: 09/27/2016 0600 PDT
12. Prepared By: Print Name: Damian Guilliani SITL (t) Date/Time Prepared: 09/27/2016 0500 PDT		13. Approved By: Print Name: Rocky W. Opliger ICT1 Signature: _____	
14. Date/Time Submitted: 09/27/2016 0602 PDT		15. Primary Location, Organization, or Agency Sent To: OSCC	
16. State: CA	17. County / Parish / Borough: Monterey		18. City:
19. Unit or Other:	20. Incident Jurisdiction:	21. Incident Location Ownership (if different than jurisdiction):	
22. Latitude/Longitude: Latitude: 36° 27' 39" Longitude: 121° 54' 2"	23. US National Grid Reference: Grid Zone: x-Coordinate: y-Coordinate:		24. Legal Description: Principal Meridian: Township: Range: Section: 1/4 Sec: of 1/4 Sec:
25. Short Location or Area Description (list all affected areas or a reference point): Soberanes Creek, Garrapata State Park, north of Palo Colorado/Big Sur.			26. UTM Coordinates: Zone: Easting: Northing:
27. Note any geospatial data available (indicate data format, content, and collection time information and labels): Geospatial data is available from the NIFC FTP site: http://ftp.nifc.gov/incident_specific_data/calif_s/CALFIRE/2016_Incidents/CA-BEU-003422_Soberanes/ Updated Daily Products are available from the NIFC FTP site: http://ftp.nifc.gov/incident_specific_data/calif_s/CALFIRE/2016_Incidents/CA-BEU-003422_Soberanes/DailyUpdates/			
28. Observed Fire Behavior or Significant Events for the Time Period Reported (describe fire behavior using accepted terminology. For non-fire incidents, describe significant events related to the materials or other causal agents): Minimal Backing Creeping Smoldering Narrative: Minimal fire activity overnight. Fire will creep and smoldered where pockets of heat exist.			
29. Primary Fuel Model, Materials, or Hazards Involved (hazardous chemicals, fuel types, infectious agents, radiation, etc): Chaparral (6 feet) Tall Grass (2.5 feet) Timber (Litter and Understory) Narrative:			

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Mixed fuel models include brush on the slopes with above an average grass crop on ridge lines with scattered pockets of timber.				
30. Damage Assessment Information (summarize damage and/or restriction of use or availability to residential or commercial property, natural resources, critical infrastructure and key resources, etc):	A. Structural Summary	B. # Threatened (up to 72 hrs)	C. # Damaged	D. # Destroyed
	E. Single Residences	400	3	57
	F. Multiple Residences	0	0	0
	G. Mixed Commercial / Residential	0	0	0
	H. Nonresidential Commercial Property	10	0	0
	I. Other Minor Structures	0	2	11

31. Public Status Summary: <i>C. Indicate the Number of Civilians (Public) Below:</i>				32. Responder Status Summary: <i>C. Indicate the Number of Responders Below:</i>			
	Previous Report Total	A. # this Reporting Period	B. Total # to-date		Previous Report Total	A. # this Reporting Period	B. Total # to-date
D. Fatalities	0		0	D. Fatalities	1	0	1
E. With Injuries/Illness	0		0	E. With Injuries/Illness	8	0	8
F. Trapped/In Need of Rescue	0		0	F. Trapped/In Need of Rescue	0		0
G. Missing	0		0	G. Missing	0		0
H. Evacuated	0	22	0	H. Evacuated	0		0
I. Sheltering in Place	0	30	0	I. Sheltering in Place	0		0
J. In Temporary Shelters	0		0	J. In Temporary Shelters	0		0
K. Have Received Mass Immunizations	0		0	K. Have Received Mass Immunizations	0		0
L. Require Immunizations	0		0	L. Require Immunizations	0		0
M. In Quarantine	0		0	M. In Quarantine	0		0
N. Total # Civilians (Public) Affected:	0	52	0	N. Total # Responders Affected:	9	0	9

33. Life, Safety, and Health Status/Threat Remarks: EVACUATION ORDERS REMAIN IN EFFECT FOR: Tassajara Rd from Chews Ridge south to the end of the road at Tassajara Hot Springs. HEALTH CONCERN: Air Quality Today: Winds near the most active part of the fire should become lighter and more northerly, resulting in more significant nighttime pooling of smoke in the Carmel Valley. Some visual impacts may be seen near the coast before lingering smoke kept in the area by terrain disperses.	34. Life, Safety, and Health Threat Management:	
		Active?
35. Weather Concerns (synopsis of current and predicted weather; discuss related factors that may cause concern): Hot & dry weather continues with daytime high temperatures well into the 90s and relative humidity falling into the single digits and lower teens this afternoon. Cooler temperatures with some humidity recovery expected Tue night and Wed as marine layer begins to influence the area once again. Outlook for Night Shift: Temperatures near active fire area: 65-75 Relative Humidity near active fire area: 10-15% Winds near active fire area: Valleys: becoming downslope/downvalley 3-5 mph gusts 8 mph. Mid/Upper Slopes: NNE 5-8 mph gusts 15 mph.	A. No Likely Threat	
	B. Potential Future Threat	X
	C. Mass Notifications in Progress	
	D. Mass Notifications Completed	
	E. No Evacuation(s) Imminent	
	F. Planning for Evacuation	
	G. Planning for Shelter-in-Place	
	H. Evacuation(s) in Progress	X
	I. Shelter-in-Place in Progress	X
	J. Repopulation in Progress	
	K. Mass Immunization in Progress	
	L. Mass Immunization Complete	
	M. Quarantine in Progress	
	N. Area Restriction in Effect	
	O. Road Closure	X
	P. Trail Closure	X
	Q. Area Closure	X

36. Projected Incident Activity, Potential, Movement, Escalation, or Spread and influencing factors during the next operational period and in 12-, 24-, 48-, and 72-hour time frames:	
Drought stricken fuels and rising ERCs along with BIs continue to provide the opportunity for moderate to extreme fire behavior. Warmer and dryer weather conditions will be present which will increase fire spread potential and effect control efforts.	
12 hours:	

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24 hours:	Fire activity and spread may be influenced by weather events, weather and topography alignment.
48 hours:	Fire activity and spread may be influenced by weather events, weather and topography alignment.
72 hours:	Fire activity and spread may be influenced by weather events, weather and topography alignment.
Anticipated after 72 hours:	Fire activity and spread may be influenced by weather events, weather and topography alignment.
37. Strategic Objectives (define planned end-state for incident): Keep the fire spread within the Ventana Wilderness within established or previously existing control lines. Provide for Suppression Repair as needed.	
38. Current Incident Threat Summary and Risk Information in 12-, 24-, 48-, and 72-hour timeframes and beyond. Summarize primary incident threats to life, property, communities and community stability, residences, health care facilities, other critical infrastructure and key resources, commercial facilities, natural and environmental resources, cultural resources, and continuity of operations and/or business. Identify corresponding incident-related potential economic or cascading impacts:	
12 hours:	Power infrastructure, residences and commerce and tourism continue to be at risk. Watersheds, habitat for the endangered California Condor, Marbled Murrelet, California Tiger Salamander and the Red Legged Frog are threatened. Cultural and heritage resources are threatened on both private and federal lands. Arroyo Seco, Church Ranch, Tassajara are threatened.
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39. Critical Resource Needs in 12-, 24-, 48-, and 72-hour timeframes and beyond to meet critical incident objectives. List resource category, kind, and/or type, and amount needed, in priority order:	
12 hours:	Timing out resources will need to be replaced and maintained to support incident needs and objectives.
24 hours:	Timing out resources will need to be replaced and maintained to support incident needs and objectives.
48 hours:	Timing out resources will need to be replaced and maintained to support incident needs and objectives.
72 hours:	Timing out resources will need to be replaced and maintained to support incident needs and objectives.
Anticipated after 72 hours:	Timing out resources will need to be replaced. Need to maintain a minimum of 14 T1-IHCs to meet objectives.
40. Strategic Discussion: Explain the relation of overall strategy, constraints, and current available information to: 1) critical resource needs identified above, 2) the Incident Action Plan and management objectives and targets, 3) anticipated results. Explain major problems and concerns such as operational challenges, incident management problems, and social, political, economic, or environmental concerns or impacts. Incident complexity is commensurate with a Type 1 IMT's ability. Extremely remote, rugged terrain with limited access, hot and dry weather, continued drought, and an above average cured annual grass crop, have resulted in a high resistance to fire control. Utilization of historical fireline that has been successful in holding and containing fire will be used in conjunction with natural barriers to create a synergistic effect to mitigate fire growth. Incident strategy minimizes the risk to incident personnel, while protecting values at risk. Fire growth that surpasses the indirect line on any portion of of branch IV and south of Rodeo Flats will necessitate discussion of incident expansion and relocation ICP and camps. In addition, fire that continues to encroach upon the Arroyo Seco drainage and Willow creek will trigger management action points that may include firing operations along the eastern contingency lines. This will also require evaluation of ICP and Camp locations.	

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41. Planned Actions for Next Operational Period:

Branch I/II/IX:

Patrol Status

Branch III/IV/IV:

Day Operations:

Suppression efforts are being focused on the interior finger of the fire (Church Finger), to cut off any possible fire growth. Infrared IR is being utilized to seek out and destroy heat along the church finger. Air resources are also being utilized to shore up the south side of the Church Finger with retardant and water drops. Crews are being inserted in and around the Church Finger to implement a direct attack tactics.

Suppression Repair will continue next day operational period. The Suppression Repair team is will begin projects on Day Shift.

Contingency work has been completed in Branch IV.

Branch VII/VIII:

Night Shift staffed by DIV-N

Day Operations:

A more direct attack tactics are being implemented in DIV-UU and DIV-SS. Crews are being inserted into those areas with a seek and destroy strategy, hot-spotting and cold trailing.

A substantial Suppression Repair effort continues to be a high priority for resources on the west end of the fire.

Infrared (IR) was ordered for the entire perimeter of the fire, including areas that have been cold with no heat signatures for weeks. This will provide the opportunity to seek out and destroy any previously hidden heat sources that may arise.

42. Projected Final Incident Size/Area (use unit label – e.g., "Acres", "Square Miles"): **134,124**

43. Anticipated Incident Containment or Completion Date: **09/30/2016**

44. Projected Significant Resource Demobilization Start Date: **09/26/2016**

45. Estimated Incident Costs to Date: **\$229,913,500.00**

46. Projected Final Incident Cost Estimate:

47. Remarks (or continuation of any blocks above – list block number in notation):

Central Coast Interagency Incident Management Team 7 - Arroyo, will be the IMT that assumes control of the Soberanes incident on Thursday.

Resources are being demobed to allow for Type-II IMT transition and to staff new fires.

The State of Emergency declared by the Governor remains in effect.

Block 7 - The inaccessible and rugged terrain within the planned line, dictates the use of massive firing operations to move the fire away from life, property and minimize the risk to firefighters. This strategy also had an effect on containment. Fluctuation and stagnation in containment occurred due to the vast amount of acreage consumed during a single operational period. Interior islands being consumed by fire will increase acreage, but not change fire perimeter.

Block 42 - This acreage reflects the shared evaluation and decision for all cooperating agencies. This number is based in fact to ensure safety considerations for the public and firefighters, protection of community and infrastructure with valuations in excess \$6.8 billion.

Block 44 - Excess resource demobilization has begun due to a portion of containment objectives being successfully met.

Block 48 - The increase in ground and air resources that the incident is utilizing, is a direct refection of the aggressive suppression and contingency efforts being applied to mitigate fire behavior, adverse weather and unforgivable terrain.

37194 ACRES on CDF - San Benito-Monterey Unit (CA-BEU)

91186 ACRES on Los Padres National Forest (CA-LPF)

49. Resources (summarize resources by category, kind, and/or type; show # of resources on top 1/2 of box, show # of personnel associated with resource on bottom 1/2 of box):

48. Agency or Org	CR1	CR2	CR2IA	CRC	HEL1	HEL2	HEL3	ENG1	ENG3	ENG4	ENG5	ENG6	DOZR	WTDT	WTDS	TPL1	AA	MAST	SKID	50. Ovhd	51. Tot Pers

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BIA	Rsrc	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Pers	0	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	39
BLM	Rsrc	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Pers	0	0	61	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	95
C&L	Rsrc	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	26	0	2	26	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Pers	20	0	0	0	4	3	0	7	102	0	5	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	163	355
CA	Rsrc	0	0	1	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0		
	Pers	0	0	17	152	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	3	180
CA-CDF	Rsrc	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Pers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	8
DOD	Rsrc	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0		
	Pers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	4
FS	Rsrc	11	2	7	0	3	2	1	0	34	1	0	2	1	9	0	0	0	0		
	Pers	223	45	137	0	7	37	8	0	170	6	0	7	3	18	0	0	0	0	261	922
FWS	Rsrc	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Pers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	16
NPS	Rsrc	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Pers	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	45
NWS	Rsrc	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Pers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4
PRI	Rsrc	0	0	11	0	5	5	5	1	1	0	0	4	8	1	43	1	1	4		
	Pers	0	0	220	0	4	6	6	4	3	0	0	12	11	2	44	2	1	5	5	328
ST	Rsrc	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0		
	Pers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	46	52
52. Total Resources		13	2	23	11	9	8	6	3	68	1	2	36	11	15	43	1	1	4	2	2048

53. Additional Cooperating and Assisting Organizations Not Listed Above:

CA State Parks and Recreation, CHP, CAL-OES, CDCR, CAL-TRANS, PG&E, CCC, CA Dept. of Fish & Wildlife, BLM, Red Cross, the County of Monterey, Monterey Bay Unified Air Pollution Control District, Carmel Highlands F.P.D., Monterey County Regional Fire Protection District, Big Sur Volunteer Fire Brigade, AT&T, FAA, and the Cachagua Volunteer Fire Company.